

**HERRING CARGOES.****Several of Salt and Frozen Arrive Since Saturday.****Season Is Practically Over, at Bay of Islands.**

From Bay of Islands, N. F., this morning are three arrivals, sch. Richard Wainwright with 900 barrels frozen herring, sch. Maggie & May with 850 barrels salt and 180 bbls. frozen herring and sch. Valkyrie, 1000 barrels salt herring.

Capt. Morgan of sch. Richard Wainwright reports leaving for home on Monday last. The weather was cold, herring scarce and fishermen leaving. Ice was reported near and he thought it best to get out of the bay as there was danger of being caught and frozen in.

When the Wainwright left schs. Oliver Wendell Holmes with 200 barrels salt herring, Lewis H. Giles with 800 barrels salt herring, sch. Helen F. Whitten with fare hold of frozen herring and sch. Senator Gardner were in the bay, but all were preparing to leave. When the Wainwright came out of the bay the ice had reached Point Rich.

Capt. George Peeples of sch. Maggie and May reports the season practically over at Bay of Islands, there being no herring and nearly all the native fishermen having left for home. The weather from New Year's to last Monday when the vessel left Lark harbor for home, was exceptionally cold, the thermometer ranging from 14 to 22 degrees below zero and the old people there called it the coldest spell of weather they ever remembered in the bay. While the vessel was coming down from the North Arm a week ago Thursday seven of the men on the vessel had their faces frozen.

Sch. Helen Miller Gould arrived this forenoon with a cargo of frozen herring. She was the first of the fleet to arrive from Placentia Bay, N. F.

The Br. sch. Daisy arrived at T wharf from Bay of Island, N. F., to-day with 800 barrels frozen herring, consigned to Prior & Mahony, Long wharf.

The Independent Herring Co. has secured 500 barrels of fine frozen herring to the eastward, part of which arrived here this morning.

**To Revolutionize Fish Curing.**

A well known fish merchant of New York has perfected a process by which he is sure he will revolutionize the curing of fish. He claims to be able to take fish just ready to spoil, and not only save them, but by his process to make them sweet and palatable and keep them for three months at any time during the year. If he can do this it will be a great boon to the fish business and be a profitable undertaking for the originator.

**Record Haul of Carp.**

John Quinn and "Jeff" Ayres, two well-known fishermen, of Gloucester, N. J., who make their headquarters at "Pirates Den," on the north side of Big Timber creek, at low tide, Saturday, after the ice had drifted away, caught about 10,000 carp, white and yellow perch and catfish in a drag net in the creek in 10 hours time. It is the biggest haul ever known to have been made in this vicinity, and will go down in history as a record-breaker.

**Halibut Sale.**

The small lot of halibut of sch. Edith M. Prior sold to the Atlantic Halibut Co. at 15 cents per pound right through.

**Coal.**

Barge Strafford arrived here Sunday with a cargo of coal.

**Big Fares.**

Schs. George E. Lane, Jr., and Mattie Winship are in with big Georges handline trips this morning, each having over 50,000 pounds of salt cod.

**Portland Fish Receipts.**

The amount of fresh ground fish landed at Portland during the month of December was as follows: Cod, 163,896 pounds; haddock, 213,464 pounds; hake, 11,594 pounds; pollock, 11,842 pounds; cusk 21,740 pounds.

*Tuesday, Jan. 15th*

**DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.****To-day's Arrivals and Receipts.**

Sch. Priscilla Smith, Placentia Bay, N. F., 850 bbls. frozen herring, 35 bbls. salt herring.

Sch. Helen F. Whitten, Bay of Islands, N. F., 650 bbls. frozen herring, 54 bbls. salt herring.

Sch. Masconomo, La Have Bank, 25,000 lbs. cod.

**To-day's Market.**

Board of Trade prices: large handline Georges cod, \$3 3-4 per cwt., medium do., \$2 1-2; large trawl Georges, \$3 1-2, medium do., \$2 3-8; handline cod from deck caught east of Cape Sable, \$3 1-2; medium do, \$2 3-8; large trawl bank cod, \$2.75; medium do., \$2.25 large dory handline cod, \$2 7-8, medium do., \$2 3-8.

Splitting prices, large cod, \$2.10; medium do., \$1.25; snapper do., 40 cts.; cusk, \$1.25; snapper do., 40 cts.; haddock, 75 cts.; hake, 95 cts.; pollock, 60 cts.

Bank halibut 13 cts. per lb. for white and 9 cts. for gray.

Salt herring in bulk, \$3 25 per bbl.

Frozen herring, \$3 50 per hundred weight.

**Boston.**

Jan. 16—Ar, sch. Edna Perry, 3000 haddock, 7000 cod.

Sch. Bessie, 200 haddock, 7000 cod.

Sch. Clara R. Harwood, 3800 haddock, 1100 cod, 3500 hake.

Sch. William A. Morse, 9000 haddock.

Sch. Richard Lester, 6000 haddock, 7000 cod, 3000 hake, 500 cusk, 500 pollock.

Sch. Grace Otis, 6500 haddock.

Sch. Mattakesett, 10,000 haddock, 2000 cod, 500 hake, 2500 cusk.

Sch. Procyon, 13,000 haddock, 6000 cod, 1200 hake, 500 cusk.

Sch. Bertha Miller, 500 haddock, 2000 cod.

Sch. Almeida, 5000 haddock, 1400 cod, 6000 hake.

Sch. Henrietta G. Martin, 5000 haddock, 1200 cod, 600 hake.

Sch. Dawson City, 11,000 haddock, 11,500 cod, 9000 hake, 2000 cusk.

Haddock \$1.90 to \$3.50, cod \$1.50 to \$2.85, large cod \$3 to \$4, hake \$2.25 to \$2.65.

**Fishing Fleet Movements.**

Sch. Arbutus of this port put into Halifax for bait on Tuesday, from the banks, and cleared to return.

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Sch. Vigilant, La Have Bank, 25,000 lbs. fresh cod, 20,000 lbs. haddock, 5000 lbs. hake, 5000 lbs. cusk.

Sch. Elsie M. Rowe, shore, 1000 lbs fresh cod, 2000 lbs. haddock.

Sch. Lucy E, shore, 600 lbs. fresh cod, 600 lbs. haddock.

Sch. Parthia, Bonne Bay, N. F., 800 bbls. frozen herring, 50 bbls. salt herring.

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Sloop Defender, 100 haddock, 300 cod.

Sch. Rose Standish, 1500 haddock, 5700 cod.

Sch. Georgie Willard, 4500 haddock, 1000 cod, 500 hake, 1500 pollock.

Sch. Mertis H. Perry, 2100 cod.

Sch. Joseph Warren, 5000 haddock, 700 cod, 300 hake.

Sch. Lucy Devlin, 500 haddock, 4000 cod.

Sch. Bertha M. Bailey, 7000 haddock, 1100 cod.

Shore haddock, \$2 1-8 to \$4; large cod, \$4 to 4 35; markets, \$2 1-2 to \$3; pollock, \$1 1-2; hake, \$2.

**Herring News.**

There are no herring and no prospect of being any at Fortune Bay, N. F., says a despatch received here Monday night. Sch. Sarah E. Lee has gone to Placentia Bay.

Sch. Joseph Rowe has gone to Philadelphia with her cargo of frozen herring.

Sch. Parthia, Capt. William Cluett, arrived here this morning with a full cargo of frozen herring from Bonne Bay, N. F., the first from there to this port for many years.

Sch. Helen Miller Gould had a great trip home from Placentia Bay, making the run in 97 1-2 hours. Capt. Jacobs reports that the natives did not take kindly at first to the motive power of the Gould, claiming that the propeller scared the fish, but when the vessel went off in deep water and Capt. Jacobs found the herring for them, they did not kick at it. Capt. Jacobs reports plenty of cold weather and the herring extra large.

When he left, no herring were barred and the prospect was poor.

The fare of salt herring of sch. Dauntless sold to the Gloucester Mackerel Co. at \$3 25 per bbl. The fare of sch. Valkyrie sold to Slade Gorton & Co., and that of sch. Maggie and May to Shute & Merchant.